Discover the Math Heart Rate Activity

BLM 1.2

1. Measure your pulse.

a) Count and record your heart rate for 1 min.

b) How many times does your heart beat in:

one hour? _____ one day? _____

one year?

c) How can you express your answers in part b) in a more compact way?

- d) You can round the hummingbird's yearly number of heartbeats to 700 000 000 and write it as a product of a power of 10.
 The number of yearly heartbeats can be expressed as 4.0 × _____.
- e) The hummingbird's yearly heartbeats can also be thought of as 7 groups of
 ______ or 7 groups of one hundred ______.
- f) Write the number of times your heart beats in a year as a product of a power of 10.